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Will Contracts Force Delivery Of The Grain ?

Test Case Pending

John Billings and company, grain merchants, are the plaintiffs in a suit against D. Loss Land, a prominent farmer of this district, in which a very interesting and important point of law will be decided, namely, the validity of the grain contracts used by grain buyers operating throughout the country. S. F. Kimball is the local representative of John Billings and company, and he is confident that the court will uphold the contract.

The jumping of contracts has become general, according to information supplied the Leader by grain buyers, and they stand to lose no small amount of money if the contracts do not bind the farmer to his agreement.

The action above noted will come up for a hearing in the district court, and the points of law in question will be there thoroughly tested. If Billings wins, this action will undoubtedly be followed by many other similar cases.

Private R. Organ, writing from Gttingen, Germany, where he is confined in prison as a prisoner of war, says he is well, and thinks he will soon be back in Canada again. Just what he means by this statement is rather mysterious, but it may be that an exchange of prisoners between Britain and Germany will take place shortly.

Red Cross Ball A Big Success

A very successful dance was given by the Raymond Red Cross last Saturday night. The net proceeds amounted to \$52. A good credit is due the committee on refreshments which included, Mrs. Rouse, Mrs. Dudley, Mrs. Kirkham, Mrs. Milner, Mrs. Kinsey, Mrs. Snow, and Mrs. W. Meeks.

A committee consisting of Mrs. C. H. Dudley, Mrs. W. G. Meeks and Mrs. Milner, has been appointed to superintend the making of Red Cross supplies.

Mrs. W. G. Meeks is visitor to Calgary this week and while there will visit the Red Cross Rooms. Mrs. T. J. O'Brien and Mrs. A. W. Kirkham, visited Lethbridge on Wednesday to familiarize themselves with the work of the Red Cross.

Henry Salmon, who in 1909 won the gold medal at Omaha, Neb., for the best wheat in the world, reports a big yield this year, throwing 63 bushels to the acre. This fall Mr. Salmon carried off premier honors for the best ten-acres of standing wheat in the Raymond district.

The Knight Sugar company shipped about 600 head of prime beef steers to Chicago this week. The cattle were in charge of Dick Kinsey, foreman of the Kirkaldy ranch, and H. S. Allen. While in Chicago Mr. Allen will visit with his son, Heber, who is laboring as a missionary in that city.

The students of Miss Jesse Stenhouse, sent a package of Xmas gifts to our Totomies at the front this week. The box contained candy, nuts, chewing gum mitts, socks, mufflers, and a variety of other welcome articles.

Patriotic Wave Pervades School

The Raymond public school has collected a substantial sum of money for the Patriotic Fund, the children showing a remarkable spirit of patriotism and self-denial. Patriotic collection boxes are placed at the door of each department, and many a nickel which otherwise would go for candy or the "movies" is given toward the overthrow of tyranny. Every morning the students arise and salute the flag and sing the National Anthem. The teachers say that the children never tire of fervently joining in this song and especially like the last verse. This is a prayer for the boys at the front.

The Leader wishes to commend Principal Smith and his teachers on the magnificent sentiment of devotion to the Empire and the Cause of Freedom which pervades every phase of school life, they are rendering invaluable service to the boys and girls and are laying the only safe foundation for Canada's future greatness—the moulding of strong, true, valiant Canadians.

The Sugar City Cafe changes hands next week. Harry Hironaka who has conducted this popular cafe for a number of years, has sold his business and good will to two Lethbridge Japs, one of whom is at present head chef at the Dallas Hotel.

The school board met this week to consider applications for the two vacancies on the school staff. The contracts of Miss Laura Redd and Miss Fern Redd expire at Christmas. Offers have been made to Miss Jesse Redd and Miss Jolay David.

BIRTHS
On the 22nd to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hancock, a daughter.
On the 23rd to Mr. and Mrs. T. O. King, a 12 pound boy.

Ratepayers should not forget the annual meeting called for on Monday the 29th inst. in the first ward assembly hall.

For private Christmas cards with your name neatly printed on at the same price as ordinary cards, call at the Leader office.

The Stirling Patriotic Fund is hard at work, and there will be no trouble in raising the allotment for that town. The members of the committee contributed over \$400 themselves. Well done, Stirling.

"The Crucible" featuring Marguerite Clarke, the famous American emotional actress, will appear next Monday and Tuesday at the Rex Theatre.

LAND TITLES ACT Mortgage Sale OF VALUABLE FARM PROPERTY

Under and by virtue of the Powers of Sale provided by the Land Titles Act under a certain Mortgage which will be produced at the time of the sale.

There will be offered for sale by public auction at the Raymond Hotel in the town of Raymond, in the Province of Alberta, on Friday the 10th day of December 1915, at the hour of Twelve o'clock noon, the following property, namely: The south half of Section Thirty-three (33) Township Five (5), Range Twenty-one (21) West of the Fourth Meridian in the Province of Alberta, excepting thereout all mines and minerals and the right to work the same.

Terms of sale to be Twenty percent cash at the time of the sale and the balance according to the terms and conditions to be made known at the sale or upon application to the Vendor's Solicitors.

The above property will be offered for sale subject to a sealed Reserved Bid and free from all incumbrance save taxes for the current year.

The Vendor is informed that the above property is situated about two miles South of Wellington, in the Province of Alberta, and about six miles South and West of the town of Raymond. All of the said land is good arable and is in a good state of cultivation. The said land is said to be fenced with a three strand wire fence. There are no buildings on the said land and the said land is otherwise unimproved.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to the Auctioneer or the undersigned Solicitors.

DATED at the City of Lethbridge, in the Province of Alberta, this 1st day November A. D. 1915.

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Auctioneer.
APPROVED:
W. Forbes,
Registrar.

Political Pot Begins Simmering; Election Is However Unlikely

The municipal political pot is beginning to simmer. This year there are three aldermen to elect and three members of the school board. The retiring members of the council are George Court, Arthur Dahl and J. F. Fisher, and those of the school board, Secretary George T. Wride, Frank T. Holt and W. B. Nalder.

It is not likely that there will be an election. The feeling prevails generally that an election is undesirable especially this year, when the strained condition of public affairs demands men of experience and judgment.

George Court will be a candidate for the Leader. Mr. Court made this announcement. Mr. Court has been in the council for a number of years and has shown marked ability in that body. Faithful in duty, careful but progressive, Mr. Court should be re-elected.

Mr. Dahl and Mr. Fisher will likely be in the field, also. However, we have no direct authority from these gentlemen to announce their candidatures. Both these men have established a good record in the council with mature wisdom

and wide experience these gentlemen merit the continued support of the electors.

The three members of the school board whose terms expire should be returned by acclamation. There is some rumor abroad that Frank Holt will be in the field for a seat on the council. When seen by the Leader, Mr. Holt stated that if he made a choice between the two offices he would choose the council as he is advocating a number of drastic changes in the system of administration. Mr. Holt has rendered valuable assistance in the school board, and should be entered in the field for alderman no doubt the public will witness a spectacular campaign.

Mr. Wride has made a most efficient secretary-treasurer, and the ratepayers could do no better than return him. W. B. Nalder should also go back by acclamation which we think will be the case.

C. W. Card left Wednesday morning for Utah. The Leader understands that when he returns he will not be alone, but will be accompanied by a bride.

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HOLD BIG PATRIOTIC MEETING SUNDAY

Frank Rief, who is now at the U. S. naval station, San Francisco, expects to leave shortly for Asiatic waters.

J. O. Bridge was a business visitor to Lethbridge Monday.

A. Mercer, who has been in Utah for the past three months on business, returned last week.

Misses Margaret Watson and Sarah Mercer attended the Red Cross ball at Raymond Saturday night.

Who's Next ?

Mr. Whitt goes one better. Who is next ?

This farmer threshed a 35-acre field that averaged a trifle over 120 bushels of oats to the acre.

J. A. Ririe and O. A. Woolley went south to Coats Monday morning. They are bringing their sheep from the quarantine station.

Ornald Spoor Joins Army

Magrath people will remember T. Arnold Spoor who once taught in the public school here. He recently enlisted with the corps that went from the University of Alberta for overseas service. Bob Spoor, his brother, and a most excellent type of young manhood, went down with the King's of Ireland. His bride also was lost in that terrible disaster. Bob was for about six months our companion on the staff of the "Pioneer," and taught us not a few "tricks of the trade." He was a good printer and a good fellow. His brother Arnold is also a fine, young Britisher and will make a true soldier.

Joe Atherton, formerly of the Pioneer, has enlisted for overseas service.

Vincent Davies, nephew of Mr. Davies, our well-known merchant has enlisted with the new Lethbridge battery. His home is in Grassy Lake, but lately he has been teaching school near Calgary.

Able Speakers Will Launch Campaign

Tomorrow (Sunday) at 3:30 p.m. the Canadian Patriotic Fund campaign will be opened. The meeting will be held in the L. D. S. chapel. F. W. Karren, head of the local organization, has secured two very able speakers, Mr. Tweedie and Mr. Fenlis, of Calgary.

It is YOUR duty to attend.

Ward Conference

Ward conference was held in the ward chapel Sunday afternoon with Bishop Harker in charge. There were present Elders Heber S. Allen, Theo. Brandley and Orin H. Snow, of the Taylor stake presidency, and O. F. Ursenbach, stake superintendent of Sunday Schools.

The principal matter of business was the reorganization of the Sunday School. Mr. Benison having tendered his resignation which was reluctantly accepted. John T. Steele was sustained as superintendent with Ira T. Fletcher and Earl Pingree as assistants.

N. Lorenzo Mitchell, piano teacher of Raymond, is arranging to make professional visits weekly to Magrath.

Merrill Neilson, left for Utah recently and will attend the B. Y. U. this winter.

B. L. Jensen formerly of Magrath but now of Selma, Utah, is in town on business connected with the final settlement of his late father's estate.

William Blumel has been called on a mission to the Northern States and Elmer Ririe to the Eastern States. These two well-known young men leave early in December for the east.

Rare Bargains In POULTRY

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Magrath Lady Loses Brother

At least one Magrath family has lost a loving member as a result of this terrible war. Corp. Austin, brother of Mrs. S. R. Wright, was recently killed in action somewhere in France. He was with the famous Durham Light Horse and died in the thickest of the fighting in Flanders, Corp. Austin went through the Boer War, and when the present war broke out he was one of the very first to offer his services. He leaves a wife and four children in Doncaster, England.

The news of her brother's death the first intimation of which was a photo appearing in an English paper, was a terrible shock to Mrs. Wright and the sympathy of the community goes out to her in the sad demise of this brave brother.

Elmer Ririe and William Blumel leave Tuesday for missions to the Eastern and Northern States respectively. A farewell social will be held for them Monday evening.

Dr. Beaman was a visitor to Raymond Monday. Hemotored over with Mr. Furgason of life insurance fame.

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SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH WEST LAND REGULATIONS

THE sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old may homestead a quarter section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. Applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-agency for the District. Entry by proxy may be made at any Dominion Lands Agency (but not Sub-agency) on certain conditions.

Duties—Six months residence upon actual cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres, on certain conditions. A habitable house is required except where residence is performed in the vicinity.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section along side his homestead. Price \$3.00 per acre.

Duties—Six months residence in each of three years after earning homestead patent; also 30 acres extra cultivation. Pre-emption patent may be obtained as soon as homestead patent, on certain conditions. A settler who has exhausted his homestead right may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$5.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate 30 acres and erect a house worth \$300.

The area of cultivation is subject to reduction in case of rough, scrubby or stony land. Livestock may be substituted for cultivation under certain conditions.

W. W. CORY C.M.G.,
Deputy of the Minister of the Interior.

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Thousands of tons of Canadian nickel are at the present time in the armor-plate of German warships, as well as of British and French and Austrian and Russian. From our mines near Copper Cliff, Ont., we have shipped out this nickel to the United States in a crude form to be refined and reshipped by American companies to the markets of the world. Up till the past couple of months nobody could have raised any objection to this as a matter of business. Canada had a corner on a very useful article. She sold it to the world.

But at the present time there is not an ounce of nickel-plate in any German armament on the Kiel canal or at Essen or anywhere else that Canada does not gladly take back and pay the cash price to keep it in this country until the war is over. That's practical patriotism just as selling the nickel abroad was practical business.

If we are so sensibly concerned over the nickel sold to the enemy in times of peace, let us be as sensibly and vigorously concerned about the nickels and the dollars we have been sending out of this country to buy things made by foreign labor, paying foreign dividends for the sake of foreign houses. If we Canadians are really in earnest we can repair all damage resulting from the export of our nickel to Germany by refusing to spend our money for foreign-made goods. We can't get back this nickel, but we can stop the nickels and the dollars and the dollars from going abroad after the nickel. If as a matter of business, we helped the enemy in a time of peace, as a bigger matter of business we can help ourselves in a time of war by keeping our own money in this country to keep Canada prosperous.

PERHAPS you do not realize how many lines of "Made-in-Canada" goods are better than the imported, or how often it is profitable as well as patriotic to buy things made by your own countrymen.

NOTICE
Public Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the electors of the Town of Raymond will be held in the First Ward Meeting House on Monday the 26th day November, 1915, at Eight thirty o'clock P.M. for the purpose of receiving the auditor's report of the finances of the town up to the preceding Thirty-first day of October and for the purpose of receiving the report of the chairman of the various committees of the council.
Dated at Raymond this 18th day of November 1915.
S. FARNHAM KIMBALL,
Secretary, treasurer.

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THE MINISTER OF FINANCE offers herewith on behalf of the Government the above named Bonds for subscription at 97½ payable as follows—
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20 " " 1st February, 1916,
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20 " " 1st April, 1916,
20 " " 1st May, 1916.

The installments may be paid in full on and after the 31st day of January, 1916, under discount at the rate of four per cent per annum. All payments are to be made to a chartered bank for the credit of the Minister of Finance. Failure to pay any installment when due will render previous payments liable to forfeiture and the allotment to cancellation.

Applications, accompanied by a deposit of ten per cent of the amount subscribed, must be forwarded through the medium of a chartered bank. The bank will issue a provisional receipt.

This loan is authorized under Act of the Parliament of Canada and both principal and interest will be a charge upon the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

Subscriptions must be for even hundreds of dollars.

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Script certificates payable to bearer will be issued, after allotment, in exchange for the provisional receipts.

When the script certificates have been paid in full and payment endorsed thereon by the bank receiving the money, they may be exchanged for bonds with coupons attached, payable to bearer or registered as to principal, or for fully registered bonds without coupons.

Subscription Lists will close on or before 30th November, 1915.
Finance Department, Ottawa, 22nd November, 1915.

Delivery of script certificates and of bonds will be made through the chartered banks.

The interest on the fully registered bonds will be paid by cheque which will be remitted by post. Interest on bonds with coupons will be paid on surrender of coupons. Both cheques and coupons will be payable free of exchange at any branch of any chartered bank in Canada.

Holders of fully registered bonds without coupons will have the right to convert into bonds with coupons, payable to bearer or registered, without payment of any fee, and holders of bonds with coupons will have the right to convert without fee into fully registered bonds without coupons at any time on application in writing to the Minister of Finance.

The issue will be exempt from taxes—including any income tax—imposed in pursuance of legislation enacted by the Parliament of Canada.

The bonds with coupons will be issued in denominations of \$100, \$500, \$1,000. Fully registered bonds without coupons will be issued in denominations of \$1,000, \$5,000 or any authorized multiple of \$500.

Application will be made in due course for listing of the issue on the Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchanges.

The loan will be repaid at maturity at par at the office of the Minister of Finance and Receiver General at Halifax, St. John, Charlottetown, Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg, Regina, Calgary or Victoria.

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